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Should you have any questions, Annette Brown is familiar with this filing. She may be reached on 410-393-7482.

Very truly yours,

Vice President

cc: Carlos Candelario
Chana Wilkerson

Description of Filing

This filing increases the intraLATA toll component of the Regional Essentials and Regional Value packages by \$5.04 per month through the introduction of the Unlimited Toll Plan. The total package price for Regional Essentials will increase from \$27.00 to \$32.04, and the total package price for Regional Value will increase from \$22.00 to \$27.04.

Although the Regional Essentials and Regional Value packages are classified as Discretionary Services, they are comprised of services that are classified as Basic, Discretionary and Competitive. Consistent with direction received from the Commission when packages were first introduced, Verizon allocates the revenue generated by packages to the baskets in which the individual services reside. Currently, the intraLATA toll piece of these packages is allocated \$3.00 per month. Verizon is proposing to increase the rate for the intraLATA toll piece to \$8.04. In order to make clear that this rate increase is to the competitive component of the package, and therefore consistent with the pricing flexibility granted under Verizon's regulatory plan, Verizon is establishing a unique pricing element for the intraLATA toll piece of the package. This new element is the Unlimited Toll Plan and will appear in Tariff No. 215, Section 15.

The proposed rate increases will affect only existing and new customers of the Regional Essentials and Regional Value packages. Rates for the Basic and Discretionary services included in these packages remain unchanged as a result of this tariff filing. Additionally, this filing will not affect customers who purchase Verizon's services via other packages or a la carte. Customers of the Regional Essentials and Regional Value packages can avoid experiencing these rate increases by changing to other services offered by Verizon or any of Verizon's many competitors.

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BUNDLED SERVICES

A. GENERAL

Regional Essentials

Regional Essential is an optional residential service package which provides customers with a combination of offerings for one flat monthly rate.

B. REGULATIONS

1. Regional Essentials consists of the following offerings:

- local exchange line with unlimited usage
- unlimited direct distance dialed intraLATA toll (as specified in Optional Calling Plans Tariff #215, Section 15)
- Call Waiting / Cancel Call Waiting
- Caller ID
- Standard Home Voice Mailbox*
- waiver of the non-recurring service charges

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BUNDLED SERVICES

C. RATES

Monthly Rate

Regional Essentials
Per Residence Exchange Access Line

\$32.04
[\$27.00]

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Section 31

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BUNDLED SERVICES

A. GENERAL

Regional Value

Regional Value is an optional residential service package which provides customers with a combination of offerings for one flat monthly rate.

B. REGULATIONS

1. Regional Value consists of the following offerings:

- local exchange line with unlimited usage
- unlimited direct distance dialed intraLATA toll (as specified in
Optional Calling Plans Tariff #215, Section 15)
- waiver of the non-recurring service charges

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BUNDLED SERVICES

C. RATES

Monthly Rate

Regional Value
Per Residence Exchange Access Line

\$27.04
[\$22.00]

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Unlimited Toll Plan

A. GENERAL

Unlimited Toll is an optional calling plan offered for outbound station to station direct dialed intraLATA calling to Residential Customers who also subscribe to a qualifying local service package as described below.

This is a line level plan. Customers who subscribe to a qualifying package would be eligible for Unlimited Toll on that line only.

Unlimited Toll is available 24 hours a day, seven days a week for all intraLATA outbound calling except Directory Assistance, Calling Card and Operator Handled calls.

B. REGULATIONS

1. The qualifying local service packages are Regional Essentials or Regional Value, both offered by Verizon Maryland and found in the General Services Tariff #203, Section 31.
2. The packages offer a flat-rated network access line, the waiver of non recurring charges for an initial order or change to the package, and unlimited local calling. Additionally, Regional Essentials offers the customer the choice of one or all of the following services:
 - Caller ID, Call Waiting/Cancel Call Waiting, and Home Voicemail (an unregulated service that utilizes the Fixed Call Forwarding feature).
3. A customer who discontinues these packaged services would no longer be eligible for the Unlimited Toll Plan.

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Unlimited Toll Plan

C. RATES

1. This rate is included in, and not in addition to, the rates found in General Services Tariff #203, Section 31 for Regional Essentials and Regional Value.

a. Per Line

Monthly Rate
\$8.04



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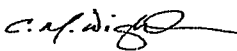
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4.7 Optional Residential Services, (cont'd.)

4.7.14 Plan O Service - Unlimited, (cont'd.)

D. Rates and Charges

1. Application of Charges

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When service is used for both interstate and intrastate calling, the MRC applies only once.

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VERIZON PRICE INCREASE INFORMATION

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Verizon jacks up phone rate Pushes to bundle TV, Web service

By Jerry Kronenberg | Thursday, November 1, 2007 | <http://www.bostonherald.com> | Business & Markets

Verizon has been quietly raising some Massachusetts customers' phone bills by nearly four times inflation, apparently to push people to switch to discount packages that add TV and Internet service.

"By making (standalone phone service) expensive, they're trying to migrate people to bigger 'bundles'," said Mark Cooper of the Consumer Federation of America.

Verizon plans to soon raise monthly prices on its top calling plans, Verizon Freedom Essentials and Freedom Value, to \$46.99 and \$41.99, respectively.

That's up \$2 a month from today, as well as \$7.04 from what the plans cost when Verizon rolled them out in November 2005.

All told, prices have risen 20.1 percent over two years for Freedom Value and 17.6 percent for Freedom Essentials - way above the 5.5 percent inflation seen since late 2005.

However, the price hikes exclude customers who add Web or TV subscriptions to phone service.

Experts say that shows Verizon is raising prices to steer consumers toward products like its \$100-a-month phone, Internet and TV package.

Observers say the company wants to diversify before market innovations essentially kill off traditional phone service. They add that Verizon is also trying to fend off cable TV giant Comcast, which offers its own bundled packages.

Patrick Monaghan of Boston's Yankee Group said customers who get multiple products from one firm are less likely to ever switch providers. "The more services (customers) have, the less 'churn' a company is going to have," he said.

Verizon spokesman Phil Santoro said the looming price hikes "reflect the marketplace. The vast majority of our new customers are buying bundled services."

However, Cooper estimates a third of phone users don't need the extras. "People who don't want high-speed Internet or cable TV are suffering a straight price increase," he said.



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Important Information Regarding Sensible Minute

Effective October 21, 2006, there will be a monthly charge of \$1.99 for the *Sensible Minute* optional toll calling plan. This monthly charge will appear in bills beginning November 20, 2006. The Sensible Minute optional toll calling plan is available only to customers who have selected Verizon Massachusetts as their instate regional toll provider. If you currently subscribe to the Sensible Minute optional toll calling plan and you have an instate regional toll provider other than Verizon Massachusetts, the Sensible Minute optional toll calling plan will be removed from your account. If you have any questions about this change, please call the telephone number on the information page of your bill.



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1. Exchange and Network Services**1.15 Service Packages**

1.15.16 Verizon Client Advantage Program - Subsequent Years Rebate				
ID	Service Category	Percent of Customer Commitment Achieved in Measurement Period	Customer Election of Customer Commitment for New Measurement Period	Monthly Rebate Percentage for New Measurement Period
	Rebate Schedule - Subsequent Years- Group B	105% - 109.99%	105% - 109.99%	6%
		105% - 109.99%	90% - 104.99%	5.5%
		105% - 109.99%	85% - 89.99%	2%
		105% - 109.99%	Less Than 85%	0%
		90% - 104.99%	90% - 104.99%	5.5%
		90% - 104.99%	85% - 89.9%	2%
		90% - 104.99%	Less Than 85%	0%
		85% - 89.99%	85% - 89.99%	2%
		Less Than 85%	Not Applicable	0%

1.15.17 Regional Essentials					(T)
ID	Service Category	Rate Element	Rate	USOC	
	Regional Essentials	Monthly - Per line equipped	27.00		(T)

1.15.18 Regional Value					(T)
ID	Service Category	Rate Element	Rate	USOC	
	Regional Value	Monthly - Per line equipped	22.00		(T)

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Calling Plans

The primary component of your new phone service is a local calling plan. When making a local plan selection, consider your calling patterns and whether you call outside your local calling area.

Your selection can include:

- A package that covers local calls and calls outside your local calling area
- OR
- A package or plan that just covers local calls

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Resources

- ▢ [Find a plan based on where you call the most](#)
- ▢ [View a regional toll calling area map](#)
- ▢ [Tutorial: What is local vs. regional?](#)

Option 1: Local Calling & Beyond

Please choose one:	Local and Regional Calling	Long Distance	International Calling	Calling Features	Monthly Fee
<input type="radio"/> Verizon Freedom	Unlimited	Unlimited across the U.S., Canada and Puerto Rico	Discounted rates, upgraded international plans available	Home Voice Mail, Caller ID, Call Waiting, 3-Way Calling and Speed Dialing	\$59.99
<input type="radio"/> Verizon Freedom Essentials	Unlimited	Unlimited across the U.S. and Puerto Rico	International plans available as an upgrade	Home Voice Mail, Caller ID and Call Waiting	\$44.99
<input type="radio"/> Verizon Regional Package Unlimited	Unlimited	Not Included	Not Included	Choice of 3 calling features	\$36.00
Show More Show Specials					

OR

Option 2: Local Calling

Please choose one:	Local Calling	Regional Calling	Long Distance Calling	Calling Features	Monthly Fee
<input type="radio"/> Flat Rate Service	Unlimited within your local calling area	Not Included	Not Included	Not Included	\$19.64
<input type="radio"/> Measured Rate Service	Each call billed at 1¢ per call and 1.6¢ per	Not Included	Not Included	Not Included	\$12.70

VERIZON PRICE INCREASE INFORMATION

OHIO

FAX

The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
TELECOMMUNICATIONS APPLICATION FORM
 (Effective: 10/01/2004)
 (Pursuant to Case Nos. 99-998-TP-COI and 99-553-TP-COI)

In the Matter of the Application of Verizon North Inc.)
 To increase rates for certain residential services)

Case No. 90-5023-TP-TRF

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 Company Web Address www.verizon.com
 Regulatory Contact Person(s) Cassandra Cole Phone 740-383-0490 Fax 740-383-0491
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 Date August 28, 2007 TRF Docket No. _____ - CT-TRF or 90-5023-TP-TRF

Motion for protective order included with filing? ☐ Yes ☒ NoMotion for waiver(s) filed affecting this case? ☐ Yes ☒ No [Note: waiver(s) tolls any automatic timeframe]Company Type (check all applicable): ☐ CTS (DC) ☒ ILEC ☐ CLEC ☐ CMRS ☐ AOS ☐ Other (explain) _____

NOTE: This form must accompany all applications filed by telecommunication service providers subject to the Commission's rules promulgated in Case No. 99-998-TP-COI, as well as by ILECs filing an ARB or NAG case pursuant to the guidelines established in Case No. 96-463-TP-UNC. **It is preferable NOT to combine different types of filings, but if you do so, you must file under the process with the longest applicable review period.**

I. Please indicate the reason for submitting this form (check one)

- ☐ 1 (AAC) Application to Amend Certificate by a CLEC to modify Serving Area (0-day notice, 7 copies)
☐ 2 (ABN) Abandonment of all Services
 ☐ a. CLEC (90-day approval, 10 copies) ☐ b. CTS (14-day approval, 10 copies) ☐ c. ILEC (NOT automatic, 10 copies)
☐ 3 (ACE) New Operating Authority for providers other than CMRS (30-day approval, 7 copies); for CMRS, see item No 15 on this page
 ☐ a. Switched Local ☐ b. Non-switched local ☐ c. CTS ☐ d. Local and CTS ☐ e. Other (explain) _____
☐ 4 (ACO) LEC Application to Change Ownership (30-day approval, 10 copies)
☐ 5 (ACN) LEC Application to Change Name (30-day approval, 10 copies)
☐ 6 (AEC) Carrier-to-Carrier Contract Amendment to an agreement approved in a NAG or ARB case (30-day approval, 7 copies)
 NOTE: see item 25 (CTF) on page two of this form for all other contract filings.
☐ 7 (AMT) LEC Merger (30-day approval, 10 copies)
☐ 8 (ARB) Application for Arbitration (see 96-463-TP-COI for applicable process, 10 copies)
☐ 9 (ATA) Application for Tariff Amendment for Tier 1 Services, Application to Reclassify Service Among Tiers, or Change to Non-Tier Service
 ☐ a. Tier 1 (and Carrier-to-Carrier tariff filings as set forth in 95-845-TP-COI)
 ☐ i. Pre-filing submittal (30-day pre-filing submittal with Staff and OCC; Do Not Docket, 4 copies)
 ☐ ii. New End User Service which has been preceded by a 30-day pre-filing submittal with Staff for all submittals and also with OCC for Tier 1 residential services (0-day filing, 10 copies)
 ☐ iii. New End User Service (NOT preceded by a 30-day filing submittal, 30-day approval, 10 copies)
 ☐ iv. New Carrier-to-Carrier Service which has been preceded by a 30-day pre-filing with Staff (0-day filing, 10 copies)
 ☐ v. Change in Terms and Conditions, textual revision, correction of error, etc. (30-day approval, 10 copies)
 ☐ vi. Grandfather service (30-day approval, 10 copies)
 ☐ vii. Initial Carrier-to-Carrier Services Tariff subsequent to ACE approval (60-day approval, 10 copies)
 ☐ viii. Withdrawal of Tier 1 service must be filed as an "ATW", not an "ATA" - see item 12, below
 ☐ b. Reclassification of Service Among Tiers (NOT automatic, 10 copies)
 ☐ c. Textual revision with no effect on rates for non-specific or non-tier service (30-day approval, 10 copies)
☐ 10 (ATC) Application to Transfer Certificate (30-day approval, 7 copies)
☐ 11 (ATR) LEC Application to Conduct a Transaction Between Utilities (30-day approval, 10 copies)
☐ 12 (ATW) Application to Withdraw a Tier 1 Service
 ☐ a. CLEC (60-day approval, 10 copies) ☐ b. ILEC (NOT automatic, 10 copies)
☐ 13 (CIO) Application for Change in Operations by Non-LEC Providers (0-day notice, 7 copies)
☐ 14 (NAG) Negotiated Interconnection Agreement Between Carriers (0-day effective, 90-day approval, 8 copies)
☐ 15 (RCC) For CMRS providers only to Register or to Notify of a Change in Operations (0-day notice, 7 copies)
☐ 16 (SLF) Self-complaint Application
 ☐ a. CLEC only - Tier 1 (60-day automatic, 10 copies)
 ☐ b. Introduce or increase maximum price range for Non-Specific Service Charge (60-day approval, 10 copies)
☐ 17 (UNC) Unclassified (explain) _____ (NOT automatic, 15 copies)
☐ 18 (ZTA) Tariff Notification Involving only Tier 2 Services
 NOTE: Notifications do not require or imply Commission Approval.
 ☐ a. New End User Service (0-day notice, 10 copies)
 ☐ b. Change in Terms and Conditions, textual revision, correction of error, etc. (0-day notice, 10 copies)
 ☐ c. Withdrawal of service (0-day notice, 10 copies)
☐ 19 (Other) (explain) _____ (NOT automatic, 15 copies)

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